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RUSSIA HAS LOST

Another Torpedo Boat Destroyer, By Order of Her Commander.

She Carried Dispatches From Gen. Stoessel For Emperor, and These Her Officers Succeeded in Filing. St. Petersburg Quiet As To Character of Contents of Messages.

Chefoo, Nov. 16.—The Russians have blown up the torpedo boat destroyer Rastoropy.

The Russians with the exception of one man left the destroyer during the afternoon. This last man lighted fuses and blew up the vessel. There were three dull explosions which were scarcely discernible a hundred yards from the place where they occurred. Almost simultaneously the Rastoropy sank and settled on the bottom. A single spar marks her grave. It is impossible tonight to secure an explanation of the act of the Russians, but it is thought that they were determined not to allow a repetition of the Ryeshteln incident. Prior to the destruction of the destroyer, the tactical had officially notified the Japanese consul that her disarmament had been completed, the breech blocks and ammunition having been removed and her machinery disabled. During the afternoon the Russian consul officially notified the tactical that the destroyer had been driven towards Che Foo by a heavy sea and that it had been decided to disarm her because her machinery had been disabled. This is looked on in some quarters here as the drawing of a transparent veil over the object of the vessel's visit.

Chefoo, Nov. 16.—9:30.—The captain of the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Rastoropy, which put into this harbor early this morning has notified the Chinese authorities that he will disarm her. It is believed that this decision was arrived at after communicating with St. Petersburg.

There is reason to believe that Japanese cruisers have been watching the port although a steamer which has just arrived saw no Japanese war vessels.

Chefoo, Nov. 16.—NOON.—It is rumored that the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Rastoropy which has put into this port, brought a despatch from General Stoessel asking the St. Petersburg authorities for instructions as to whether he would continue to hold out, awaiting relief, or make immediate arrangements with the Japanese for surrender upon the most advantageous terms possible. This rumor cannot be confirmed, but it is obvious that only dispatches of the highest importance would impel General Stoessel to risk the loss of a war ship by sending her out on such a mission in face of the rigid blockade maintained off Port Arthur by the Japanese fleet.

Che Foo, Nov. 16.—The commander of the Rastoropy in an interview on his adventurous voyage, said:

"I left Port Arthur at midnight in a blinding snow storm. The boat was navigated through all the dangers of floating mines without a mishap. On reaching the open sea we saw a Japanese

cruiser and some torpedo boats in the distance, but we were steaming rapidly through the storm with lights extinguished and passed them unnoticed. We reached Che Foo without mishap of any kind."

The commander of the torpedo boat destroyer was optimistic with reference to Port Arthur. He declared that all the forts remained in Russian hands and that the garrison was confident and in good spirits.

The former Russian governor of Port Dalny, M. Sakharoff, died recently at Port Arthur of enteric fever. Commander Pelem added that the destroyer's object was simply to carry dispatches. The other Russian ships remained at Port Arthur.

The Rastoropy being one of the fastest of the Russian vessels, soon outdistanced her pursuers and entered Che Foo with a music box playing a sprightly air and the savory odor of a breakfast steak apparently testifying to the fact that Port Arthur still enjoys fresh meat. The destroyer sped in like an arrow at 6:50 a. m. and anchored a few hundred yards from the United States cruiser New Orleans, flagship of Rear Admiral Folger, commander of the cruiser squadron of the Asiatic fleet. The Chinese cruiser Hai Yung raised steam within twenty minutes and came close to the Rastoropy. Capt. Ching, of the Hai Yung boarded her, and held a brief conference with Commander Pelem. Ensign Walnwright, Rear Admiral Folger's aide, boarded the Rastoropy immediately, but he and Capt. Ching were not invited to enter the Rastoropy's cabin, although a blizzard was cutting their faces. Captain Ching notified Commander Pelem that 24 hours was the limit of time he could remain armed at Che Foo, after which the Rastoropy would be compelled to disarm. While delivering this ultimatum, the Russian sailors, who seemed to be healthy and care-free continuing greasing the torpedo tubes which were loaded. Following the conference with Captain Ching the Rastoropy was moved further in, to the old anchorage of the torpedo boat destroyer Ryeshteln, where the Russian consul boarded the Rastoropy and brought her dispatches ashore.

The Russian officers are all reticent but they say the condition of Port Arthur is as good as it was two months ago. They also deny the report that Russian armored cruiser Bayan has been sunk, though they admit that a shell damaged her engines, which are being repaired. Russian cruisers come out of Port Arthur daily, the battleships remaining in the harbor. The overdrawn optimism of the officers, it was asserted ashore, made it obvious that their story was rehearsed before it was given to the public. When the correspondents were allowed on board the Rastoropy a quarter of beef was carefully placed where it was impossible to miss seeing it. This, it was claimed, was meant to convey the impression that Port Arthur was snug and comfortable.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 16.—Advice from Lieut. Gen. Stoessel and Rear Admiral Wiren brought by the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Rastoropy to Che Foo from Port Arthur, have reached the emperor, but have not yet been made public. The great importance of the information is apparent from the fact that the torpedo boat destroyer was deliberately sacrificed in order to get the communications from the beleaguered garrison. The only word which has reached the admiralty is a telegram from the captain of the Rastoropy announcing his arrival with official despatches. An attempt of the Japanese to repeat the Ryeshteln incident in Chinese waters is confirmed. The captain reports that the Rastoropy will be disarmed and hauled out on the shore to prevent the possibility of the Japanese entering the harbor and forcibly towing her out.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 16.—No definite knowledge is obtainable up to half past five this afternoon regarding the character of General Stoessel's report to the emperor, but the fact that it was considered advisable to sacrifice the torpedo boat destroyer Rastoropy in order to communicate it indicates urgency, which naturally has aroused all sorts of alarmist rumors. One is that the Port Arthur squadron is about to make another effort to escape, but the prevailing report is that General Stoessel has asked for instructions whether to surrender, the condition of the garrison being represented as desperate. In military circles, however, the firm belief is expressed that General Stoessel will not yield.

Despatches from the Russian consul at Che Foo and from the agent of the finance ministry reporting the arrival of the destroyer at Che Foo although they throw little light on the situation at Port Arthur do not indicate a crisis. The latter dispatch is brief, simply stating that the Rastoropy reports all well at Port Arthur.

A report published abroad that General Kuropatkin will succeed to the viceroyalty of the far East is not credited in representative circles here. Admiral Alexieff will go shortly to Talita, in the Crimea for a rest.

Chefoo, Nov. 16.—11:30 p. m.—The correspondent of the Associated Press learned authoritatively that the Rastoropy carried sealed orders providing that, unless there came a highly favorable opportunity to escape, the vessel should be blown up. Sufficient powder for this purpose was secreted before the vessel left Port Arthur. Small charges of ordinary powder, in watertight compartments were exploded.

Libau, Russia, Nov. 16.—The second division of the Russian Pacific squadron sailed today. It consists of the cruisers Oleg and Izumrud, the auxiliary cruisers Kuban, Terek and Orel; the cruisers Rion and Dnieper (formerly the St. Petersburg and Smolensky) and the torpedo boat destroyers Liany, Reztly, Gromki, Grozny and Prozorilov. The division is expected to overtake Rear Admiral Volkensam's division by way of the Suez Canal.

London, Nov. 16.—According to a despatch received here from Chefoo by a news agency Commander Pelem, of the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Rastoropy, which reached that port this morning from Port Arthur, confirmed the reports that Lieutenant General Stoessel is wounded but says General Fock is quite well. The commander added there were sufficient supplies of food, ammunition and coal at Port Arthur to last a year.

WHAT True Democracy Means.

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HAD ABOARD CREW OF ABANDONED BRIG.

Philadelphia, Nov. 16.—The steamship Hawaiian, from Honolulu for Philadelphia, passed in the Delaware breakwater with Captain Fisher and the crew of seven men of the abandoned brig Sweeney on board. The Hawaiian took the Sweeney's crew off yesterday near Cape Henry. The Sweeney was loaded with lumber and was water logged when abandoned. She was bound from Charleston, S. C. for Philadelphia.

TRIAL CONTINUES.

Gomel, Russia, Nov. 16.—The trial of the persons charged with being responsible for rioting of September, 1903, continues. An attempt was made today to show that several of the witnesses had been bribed by Pereplechikoff, one of the few defendants, but the testimony was very conflicting.

CREW WERE RESCUED IN

Exhausted Condition, While Sea Broke Over Ill Fated Craft With Fury.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 16.—While the storm was at its height Monday night the New Foundland steamer Volunteer, Captain Yetman, from Harbor Grace, for Sydney, in ballast, stranded on Langan Bar, and became a total loss. The crew spent a terrible night on the ill-fated craft over which the seas broke with fury. The captain and crew were rescued in an exhausted condition. The vessel has been abandoned.

The schooner William A. from Prince Edward with a cargo of produce, was driven ashore on ledges at the entrance of White Head Harbor. The rescue of the captain, his wife and the crew was affected with the greatest difficulty.

FAMOUS KENTUCKIAN STRICKEN WITH APOPLEXY.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 16.—Col. W. C. P. Beckwith, the noted lawyer and former congressman from this district, was stricken with apoplexy while at his desk in his office today. His condition is considered critical. This is the second attack he has suffered in the last few weeks.

PRESIDENT RELEIVES TWO

Government Officials in Alaska From Positions Because of Irregularities.

Washington, Nov. 16.—President Roosevelt has relieved from office, Frank Richards, United States marshal for the Nome district in Alaska and has received the resignation of Judges J. S. Moore, of the Nome district and M. C. Brown, of the Juneau district. This action is the result of the investigation of the Alaska judiciary made recently by Assistant Attorney General Day.

EXPLODED MAGAZINE.

London, Nov. 16.—A despatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Moscow, says a telegram received there from Baku announces that trouble has occurred between the Russians and Afghans, at Kushk. The Afghans, it is asserted, exploded a Russian magazine and many soldiers were killed.

As Kushk is situated a dozen miles from the shore, it is hardly conceivable that there could be a Russian magazine there.

GOVERNMENT OF HUNGARY

Is First to Accept Invitation to Participate in Second Hague Conference.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Ambassador Storer has cabled the state department from Vienna that the Austro-Hungarian government is willing to participate in the second Hague peace conference called by President Roosevelt. This is believed to be the first official acceptance of the invitation although it is known that most of the powers are willing to attend the conference. With the conditional acceptances of the president's invitation which are expected within the present month, negotiations will begin at once to perfect the programme.

NON-UNION GLASS WORKERS BADLY BEATEN.

Alexander, Ind., Nov. 16.—Three non-union flint glass workers who were going to Ellwood today to take the place of strikers were badly beaten by a mob. A riot call was sounded and the mob was driven off.

TRIAL OF LOVELY NAN

For Murder of Bookmaker "Ceasar" Young Has Begun.

The Prisoner Came Into Court

Dressed In Black and the Same Fascinating Creature She Always Was. Many Interesting Features Will Mark the Trial. A Stubborn Contest Is Expected.

New York, Nov. 16.—After spending five months in the Tombs awaiting trial on a charge of murder, it was expected that Nan Patterson, the alleged slayer of Ceasar Young, would face a jury in the criminal branch of the supreme court today. Delay, first from one cause and then from another, has been a prominent feature in the case ever since Miss Patterson was taken into custody after the tragic death of Young in a cab in which he and the young woman were driving to the pier where Young was to take a steamer for Europe. Ever in its last stages after the date for trial had been fixed a minor cause which claimed the attention of the court dragged slowly along and forced another delay.

When the first postponement was ordered yesterday, it was thought that the court would be ready to receive the Patterson case today, but the minor case was still unfinished when court adjourned last night. It was nearing its end, however, and it was thought that everything would be in readiness for the Patterson trial some time today.

The tragic death of Young, the arrest of Miss Patterson which quickly followed, and many of the developments which attended the early stages furnished a series of sensations which attracted wide attention. Young was a race track follower, horseman and book maker who had accumulated a fortune in a few years. It was claimed that he had formed a firm attachment for Nan Patterson, a former show girl and to put an end to it Young's wife had prevailed upon him to go abroad. All arrangements for the trip had been made and Mrs. Young was at the steamship pier awaiting the arrival of her husband when she was informed that he had been shot to death while riding in a cab with Miss Patterson.

Although the tragedy in the cab was witnessed by several persons

there was a wide difference of opinion as to whether Young committed suicide or was murdered. The young woman had been seen struggling, then followed the report of a pistol and when bystanders rushed up to the cab, Young was dead, his head resting in Miss Patterson's lap. According to her story, Young was downcast and despondent, and said he would kill himself rather than leave her. The struggle was for possession of the weapon with which he threatened to take his life, but she was unable to prevent him from carrying out his purpose. Many attempts to secure Miss Patterson's release or an early trial were unsuccessful. Finally, when the district attorney consented to accept bail in \$20,000 her father, who had fought constantly in her behalf since her arrest, was unable to find the necessary securities and she was remained a prisoner in the Tombs.

In anticipation of the beginning of the Patterson trial, the criminal branch of the supreme court was crowded with spectators when Judge Vernon took his seat on the bench today. There was only a slight delay before it was announced that everything for the opening of the trial was in readiness. Miss Patterson, dressed in black, was brought by personal prison attendants and took a seat beside her counsel, Abraham Levy and Daniel O'Reilly. Her father J. Randolph Patterson, of Washington, had a seat within the bar enclosure. The work of selecting a jury from a special panel of 100 talesmen was begun at once.

The examination of each talesman was conducted with extreme thoroughness and one man, who apparently had passed all the requirements was turned away by the defense when he said, in answer to a question, that he had friendly feelings toward district attorney Jerome.

Elwood Hendricks, a brother, was the first man to answer the questions of the satisfaction of both the prosecution and the defense.

THREE HUNDRED MEN AND GIRLS EMPLOYED

In Manufacturing Concerns Thrown Into Panic By Fire. With Aid of Firemen All Made Their Escape In Safety.

New York, Nov. 16.—Three hundred men and girls employed in several manufacturing concerns in a five story building on the Bowery were thrown into a panic by fire today but by prompt work on the part of firemen and volunteer rescuers all were taken out in safety. The building was practically destroyed, surface cars on the Bowery and Houston street were blocked for half an hour, and the up-town elevated trains for fifteen minutes, at the height of the morning rush.

The fire started in the central knitting mill on the second floor, probably from defective insulation of electrical wires and within a few minutes the flames were sweeping up through the halls to the floors above. Nearly all the persons in the building were employed in a coal factory on the top floor and a moment after the smoke and flames poured up through the halls the fire escapes on the bowery

side of the building were choked by crowds of frenzied men and women. Stairways were impassable and the small fire escapes were taxed beyond their capacity.

Before the firemen arrived the flames were shooting out of the front windows and making a blazing wall about those above the second floor. The position of the women on the fire escapes was becoming more and more desperate every moment when long ladders which cleared the wall of flame below were run up. Then, under the direction of firemen and volunteers the frightened ones were brought safely to the ground. Many women on the third floor who were out of reach of the ladders were taken across a narrow airway to an adjoining building on a living ladder formed by firemen.

The upper part of the building was a sea of fire and before the flames were extinguished the building was practically destroyed.

SPENT DAY HEARING REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Pittsburg, Nov. 16.—The American commission appointed to arrange a basis of union for the Presbyterian and Reformed churches devoted the second day's session to hearing reports of the various committees. Among the reports presented were co-operation in

BULLETIN.

Marshall, Mo., Nov. 16.—James Cooney, former congressman from the seventh Missouri district, died at his home here today of pneumonia.

CHARGES BROUGHT

Against President W. W. Leighton and
Cashier C. H. Churchill

Of Defunct South Side Bank.

Both Were Arrested Last Evening and Were
Arraigned Before Justice Reilly This Morn-
ning on Charges of Embezzlement. De-
fendants Released on Bond.

William W. Leighton, president of the defunct Lima Savings Bank and Trust Company's institution, and Charles H. Churchill, late cashier of the same institution, were arrested shortly after 4 o'clock last evening, on warrants that were issued from Justice William E. Reilly's court. They are charged with having embezzled certain funds of the south side bank, the charges having arisen from the

Leighton was found at his home and both of the defendants were taken before Justice Reilly who immediately prepared bonds for their appearance for arraignment this morning. Mr. Churchill's bond was placed at \$500 and was signed by his stepfather and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith. Mr. Leighton's bond was fixed at \$1,000 and was signed by himself and his father-in-law, Mr. J. N. Dewey, of Toledo. Mr. Leighton retained Richie & Ritchie and Ridenour & Halfhill as his counsel and appeared before Justice Reilly about 8:30 o'clock this morning accompanied by Mr. Ridenour. A plea of not guilty was entered to the charge of embezzlement and the case was set for a preliminary hearing at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

At 10 o'clock, Mr. Churchill appeared, accompanied by Mr. Mackenzie, of the law firm of Motter, Mackenzie & Wendock, and for him a plea of not guilty was also entered. His case was set for a preliminary examination at 1 o'clock next Monday afternoon.

The affidavits in the two cases were signed and sworn to by attorney Ben P. Welty, who was formerly counsel for the bank and who had formerly stood by president Leighton and cashier Churchill and had endeavored to stay the hands of the bank's angered depositors and aid the two defendants in efforts to straighten out the tangled affairs of the institution.

The affidavits in the cases charge Leighton with having embezzled the sum of \$27,329.10, of the funds of the bank, and charge Churchill with having embezzled the sum of \$1,400. The charge against Mr. Churchill is based on a note which has been unearthed in the investigation. The note is dated October 12, made payable in one year, signed by Churchill and drawn in favor of Leighton, and is for the sum of \$1,400. While the face of the note would indicate that the loan was a personal one, made by Leighton, it is alleged that the money was taken from the funds of the bank. Mr. Churchill states that he gave the note and a second mortgage on real estate to Leighton for the loan and offered to furnish additional security but was told that was unnecessary. He claims that he considered the transaction regular and cannot see where the charge of embezzlement is warranted.

Mr. Leighton declines to be interviewed but insists that he will be vindicated by the facts that will be brought out later.

PRES. LEIGHTON

Re-Arrested and Required to Furnish
Additional Bond This Morning.

This morning, some of the bank's depositors who had been active in securing the arrest of President Leighton and Cashier Churchill appeared in Justice Reilly's court and requested that Leighton's bond be increased to \$1,500 and that he be required to give security in addition to his father-in-law, J. N. Dewey, of Toledo. Mr. Leighton was again brought into court by Constable Miller and after some delay he again secured his release by getting the name of his brother-in-law Mr. R. F. Dewey, of this city, on the bond for \$1,500.

The prosecution, armed with figures that are being furnished by accountant C. W. Risley, will endeavor to show that Leighton had an overdraft at the bank amounting to over thirteen thousand dollars and will endeavor to introduce in evidence against the defendant a number of notes that have been turned up at the bank, among them being one for \$10,000, dated April 1, 1902; one for \$2,000, dated June 11, 1904; one for \$5,000, dated Sept. 30, 1904; one for \$4,500, dated July 18, 1903; one for \$8,000, dated July 30, 1904, and the Churchill note for \$1,400.

The \$8,000 item is alleged to have been drawn by Mrs. Leighton and secured by a note and capital stock of the bank. Other amounts are alleged to have been secured by notes and stock of the Sandusky Southwestern Railway company, which went into the hands of a receiver at Wapakoneta yesterday. Leighton was a director of the Sandusky Southwestern company.

It is given out unofficially that the deposits of the bank aggregated \$67,000 and that at the time the bank closed the sum of \$22,500 was the total amount of cash in the institution.

It is claimed by Attorney Welty that there is a difference of about \$1,000 in favor of the Buckeye Printing Co., between the records of that company and the records at the bank as to the amount of the printing company's overdraft at the bank. The accountant who is at work on the bank investigation reports that the apparent overdraft of the printing company was \$4,831.72, but that this is indefinite and that the amount may be reduced to a 7 thousand dollars.

Leighton was secretary and treasurer of the Buckeye Printing Co., which has made an assignment since the failure of the bank.

It is not yet known whether or not the attorneys for Leighton will proceed with a preliminary hearing in his case tomorrow or ask for a continuance, on account of some of them being busy in common pleas court at the present time.

Perfect Health for All Women.

Zoa Phora Will End Your Troubles and Make Your Life Joy-It Has Always Done This for Women and Always Will.

FREE TRIAL BOTTLE TO ALL WOMEN.

No matter how many doctors have tried and failed, no matter how many remedies you have used without results, Zoa Phora will cure you and your cure will mean something. It will be complete and perfect and permanent. It always has done this and always will. All the women who have suffered from any of the diseases peculiar to their sex and who have used Zoa Phora are today rejoicing in the security of perfect health and the happiness it brings.

Zoa Phora cures all diseases and irregularities of women, miscarriages, leucorrhea, suppressed and painful periods, flooding, piles, kidney, bladder and liver troubles and regulates the change of life. Not a man knows that does not bring letters from women who have been cured of some of these terrible diseases and whose lives have been made happy by the noble and wonderful Zoa Phora.

Mrs. George Stille, McClure, Ohio, R. F. D. No. 1, says: "I was so nervous and broken down that I could not do my work. I doctored with two of our home doctors, and they said I had heart trouble. I had spells with my heart when it would beat so hard and then I would faint away. I received a sample bottle of Zoa Phora, which I took according to directions, and thought it was just what I needed, so I threw the doctor's medicine away and got a large bottle of Zoa Phora. It helped me so much that I bought two more bottles, and now I am well and strong. I do not have the spells with my heart since I took Zoa Phora and I am regular now, where before I took Zoa Phora I was very irregular and had severe pain at monthly periods. I have found it to be truly a 'Woman's Friend'."

Write the Zoa Phora Co., Kalamazoo, Mich., for a free trial bottle and copy of their illustrated medical book, "Dr. Kennedy's Advice to Women." The doctor will gladly give free medical advice when needed. Zoa Phora is for sale at 25c a bottle by

H. F. Vorkamp.

COLUMBUS EXCURSION, SUNDAY, NOV. 20TH.

Excursion rates via the T. & O. C. Railway from St. Marys and intermediate stations. d&w-trk

Beck's Honey and Tar is different from all other remedies offered for the relief of coughs, lung and bronchial troubles. It contains Antiseptic properties that destroy the germs and solvent properties that cut the phlegm, allowing it to be thrown off more easily. Dr. Kennedy's Advice to Women. The doctor will gladly give free medical advice when needed. Zoa Phora is for sale at 25c a bottle by

THEY HAD BAD EYES.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—Eleven Japanese and six Chinese who arrived recently on the steamer Manchuria, have been denied a landing by the United States immigrant bureau because they were afflicted with trachoma, a contagious disease of the eyes. This is the largest number having the disease that have ever arrived here on any one vessel.

PIANOS

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Special Reduced Prices.

John Church, Everett, Steck, Fischer, Smith & Nixon, Harvard, Porter & Son, Ebersole, Haines Bros., Dayton, Davenport and Tracy, Shominger, Wellington, Haines & Co., Brewster,

and many other good makes to select from. We guarantee to save you \$50 to \$100 by buying your Piano from us.

A number of good second-hand Pianos, which have been rented, at prices from \$125 and up.

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Thou Shalt Not Kill

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SISTER

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Dinner Party

On Mrs. Anna Morris Yesterday.

Mrs. Fred Banks Also Remembered by Her Friends.

Wm. Morris Breaks a Leg. Mrs. John Dempster Struck With a Stone. South Side Notes.

Yesterday morning, at her home, 100 East Fifth street, Mrs. Anna Morris was given quite a surprise, the result of the successful planning of sister Rebekahs. Mrs. Morris was sitting by a window, knitting, when she noticed a crowd of her sister's friends approaching, with baskets on their arms.

Mrs. Morris lives in part of the house occupied by the Fred Banks family, and wondering what was going on, had started to her neighbors to find out. When she opened the door into the Banks apartments, Mrs. Morris was greeted by about thirty familiar and happy faces, and told that she was to be the honored guest of a great feast.

Those present to enjoy the splendid dinner were: Mesdames J. R. Smith, Ella T. Morris, Clem Eyster, H. L. Kraft, Sr., Biddie Smith, Emma Brown, Lulu Kraft, Anna Ward, J. D. Ward, F. A. Brown, G. A. Herrett, Hamilton, Doli, Welker, McClurg, Phillips, Tharp, King, Wetherill, Edmonston, Rambo, Ketter, Spees, McElvaine, Hageman, Shappell, Bains, Kanyan, Greene, Lehman, Neth, and Misses Grace McClurg, Helen Eyster, Frances Hageman, Helen Neth, Ruth McClurg and Helen Brown and brother Ralph.

Injured in a Runaway. Word received from Stockton, Cal., is to the effect that Wm. Morris, formerly a mail carrier in this city, and who left here for the west about four weeks ago, had sustained a broken leg as the result of a runaway, and is confined in a hospital.

Hunters' Luck. Among the gunners who went to the woods yesterday morning in search of quail were J. T. Antis, the south side politician. He was a decided success—one quail that he happened to hit in a bunch of about 50, and a scrawny little rabbit which the boys say he knocked over with a club.

Elmer Barth and Jacob Hoffman did not fare so well, however. Their two dogs made a fine point on a covey of birds, and just as they were ready to shoot, the warning voice of the farmer on whose land they were tramping, called: "Hold on there. Get out." That is all they did, get-out. Guy Sprout has not been heard from, but he will have four days in which to roam the fields. Maybe he will get something.

Another Surprise. Two complete surprises in the same house on the same day is what happened yesterday, and this one was planned by the victim of the morning's surprises, Mrs. Morris.

Yesterday was the 29th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Fred Banks, and in the evening she had hardly finished telling her husband about the Morris house on the same day is what happened, when a crowd of neighbor ladies called to remind her that she was to be honored. Lunch and a general good time prevailed. Those present were Mesdames Cliff Smith, Nettie Smith, Biddie Smith, Myers, Phillips, Rotroff, Proctor, Ella Morris, Anna Morris, Crisman, Johnston, Hildinger and Thornberg.

South Side Boys in Trouble. Last evening Wes, Daley and Jas. W. McNeal were arrested on the charge of assaulting a young man named Burden, in a resort conducted by "Patty" Lawrence. They were all charged with being drunk.

Neighbor Threw a Stone. Mrs. John Dempster, of Atlantic avenue, was struck on the head with a stone, Monday afternoon, while she was hanging up clothes in the back yard. She was knocked down by the blow, and was still confined to her bed yesterday as a result. Who the miscreant was who threw the stone is not stated, but suspicion points to a neighbor, and arrests may follow.

Deaths Briefly Told. Dr. H. C. Hart, of near Spencerville, visited Lima yesterday.

Mrs. Kerr, of Albert street, is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Faze, of Westminister.

T. M. Herrett, left yesterday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Fred Moss, at Hillsdale, Mich.

Sam Oshun, grocer at the corner of Second street and St. Johns avenue, has accepted a position as a tea and coffee drummer for a St. Louis firm.

Frank DeVoe was at Delphos yesterday, calling on friends.

Yesterday morning Grover J. H. Austin and wife started for Selma, Alabama, where they will visit relatives.

After visiting his brother, Frank X. Elmer of South Scott street, J. W. Elmer of Mt. Angel, Oregon, left for New York yesterday.

This morning, Wm. McGraw, of East Fifth street, left over the P. P. for Milwaukee, to spend the winter with his son George.

Yesterday, Mrs. A. Neiswander, of Bradford, attended the funeral of an uncle, Christian Stettler, near Hutton.

H. M. Coosby, Grand Rapids—Wife could not eat or sleep. All run down. Three packages Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea made her strong and healthy. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. F. Vorkamp.

CHICAGO EXCURSION.

On account of the International Live Stock exposition, the Erie R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Chicago and return at very low rates. Tickets on sale November 27, 28 and 29th. Return limit Dec. 5th. For further information, apply to Erie agents, or O. L. Enos, T. P. A., Marion, Ohio.

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An Imposing By-Product.

School Teacher (showing off her best boy before visitors)—Now, Perkins, can you name some of the important by-products of the steel industry?

Perkins—Yes'm; Carnegie libraries—Puck.

PITTSBURGH ORCHESTRA AT FINDLAY.

Nov. 17th, the L. E. & W. will make a rate of 95c round trip making tickets good to return Nov. 18th.

THE OIL MARKET.

Pennsylvania oil \$1.09
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LUTHERAN AID SOCIETY.

The call meeting which was to be held at the home of Mrs. Wilbur Frank will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank, 841 West High street, Thursday, Nov. 24th. A full attendance is desired as there will be work for all. 20-21

"I owe my whole life to Burdock Blood Bitters. Scrofulous sores covered my body. I seemed beyond cure. B. B. B. has made me a perfectly well woman." Mrs. Chas. Hutton, Derville, Mich.

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Via.

DETROIT SOUTHERN RAILROAD. To all points in C. P. A. territory within a distance of 150 miles of selling station at one and one-third fare for the round trip; tickets on sale Nov. 23rd and 24th, final return limit Nov. 28th. For further particulars, see Detroit Southern agents or address F. G. Gowing, Acting G. P. A., Detroit, Michigan.

THE RIGHT ROAD.

The Chicago Great Western Railway offers superior service and lowest rates to any one contemplating a trip to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines, Kansas City or Omaha. For further information apply to W. D. Jones, T. P. A., 918 Park Bldg., Pittsburg, Pa. d&w t-t

CLASH

Between Telephone Companies

Is Developing.

Bell Co. Trying to Break the System

Of Long Distance Service Formed by Independent Companies.

Conference of Representatives of Bell Interests and Officials of Independent Companies Held Here.

Yesterday afternoon T. P. Sylvan, of Columbus, Ohio, and I. G. Richardson, of Indianapolis, Ind., representing the Bell Telephone Co. interests, met in a secret conference at the Lima House, with George Risser, of Ottawa; ex-Senator J. D. Johnson, of Celina; Editor D. A. Clark, of St. Marys; ex-Senator G. M. Saltzger, of Van Wert, and Judge John F. Lindemann, of Delphos, the latter gentlemen representing some of the independent telephone companies of Northwestern Ohio. It develops from the conference, that the Bell Telephone interests, which have up to the present time been entirely shut out of some of the best towns in this part of the state, have started warfare on the independents, some of whom are said to have become frightened at the threats of the Bell people to install local exchanges in the various towns heretofore not covered by them, and have disconnected the long-distance service of the United States people for that the Central Union.

The first break was made by George Risser, of the Ottawa and Putnam County Exchange, cutting out the independent long-distance and connecting with the Bell. The latter company not having a number of towns with which Ottawa exchanged business, threatened to go back to the independent line, when the Bell people immediately set about to get the other exchanges to join them.

The conference lasted several hours and while nothing was closed up all the independent except the Van Wert Exchange, represented by Mr. Saltzger, are said to be favorable to joining the Bell long-distance service, and that the changes will shortly take place. On the other hand, it is claimed that with the exception of the Ottawa Exchange the United States company has exclusive contracts with the independent local exchanges, which will precipitate big lawsuits if an effort is made to "break them. It is understood the Central Union people may stand between the independent exchanges and damages, which they figure would be cheaper than entering the field in the smaller places with the new exchanges.

The matter is thought to be the beginning of the long-looked-for clash between the Bell and independents. The Bell company is also forcing the fight in this city.

THANKSGIVING EXCURSION. On November 23rd and 24th, the Erie R. R. will sell excursion tickets at very low rates. Tickets good returning until Nov. 28th. O. L. Enos, T. P. A. d&w-t

A Nightmare.

The humorist awoke in fear: No wonder for it, when he dreamed that but one race survived. And they were Englishmen. —New Orleans Times-Democrat.

C. H. & D. RY. THEATRICAL EXCURSIONS.

"Mother Goose" at Toledo, Nov. 19. Tickets on sale Nov. 18th, good to return Nov. 20th, at half rate \$2.10.

"Pittsburg Orchestra" at Findlay. Tickets on sale Nov. 17th at 95c round trip. Special train to return, arriving at Lima 2 a. m.



Ladies' Shoes with style and comfort, in lace or button, for \$2, \$2.50, \$3 to \$3.50. MICHAEL'S.

NEWEST ENGLISH FAD.

(From the Boston Globe.) The new organ of a certain stratum of the English aristocracy is called "The Brutalitarian: a Journal for the Sane and Strong."

It calls the modern finer feelings "decadent humanitarianism." It advocates the revival of the lash, and claims for every teacher "the right to whip any pupil under the age of 21." The revival of the code of aristocracy is a rebuke to prevailing sentimentality that may in the minds of the brutalitarians save the English subject from decadence. It may make him more pliant and less assertive, but it will be at the expense of his manhood.

Humanitarianism is getting a show now, after brutalitariansism has been on top from the days of the conqueror. It is not going to surrender now.

Great tonic, braces body and brain, drives all impurities from your system. Makes you well. Keeps you well. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, 15 cents, tea or tablets. H. F. Vorkamp.

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It's now or never that the World's greatest exposition may be seen, at greatly reduced fares. Worth inquiring about at Pennsylvania lines ticket offices. Ticket Agent J. W. Reed is the person to see about it.

A new theory that is proving successful in the cure of Coughs, Lung and Bronchial affections is offered in Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar. This remedy cuts the mucous, heals the membranous lining of the throat, lungs and bronchial tubes; wards off pneumonia and strengthens the system generally. Croup and Whooping Cough disappear before its use as snow before the sunshine of Spring. It's pleasant. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp's drug store.

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Without a full and free exposure to outdoor air, regardless of all weather, no case of tuberculosis ever has been cured; while with it, and it alone, many cases have been and may be cured. An open-air life not only preserves and strengthens the resistance of the body to the inroads of the bacillus, but it destroys the tubercle itself. No remedy known to man has such a powerful and permanent influence in maintaining or regaining health, as the judicious employment of cheerful exercise in the open air.

—The Self-Cure of Consumption, by Chas. H. Stanley Davis, M. D., Ph. D.

ANXIOUS MOMENTS.

Some of the most anxious hours of a mother's life are those when the little ones of the household have the croup. There is no other medicine so effective in this terrible malady as Foley's Honey and Tar. It is a household favorite for throat and lung troubles, and as it contains no opiates or other poisons it can be safely given. H. F. Vorkamp and Wm. Melville.

Achilles' Healer.

Achilles summoned a doctor to bandage his wounded heel. Having accomplished the task, he turned to an admiring group and facetiously remarked:

"As soon as Achilles' heel heals he'll be all right again."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

THE STAGE.

"When Women Love" the big new, scenic melodrama, will be presented at the Faurot Opera House tomorrow night by a large and competent company. The entire production is worthy of note and is one of the best attractions playing the popular priced houses.

The play is a new one, and deals comparatively with the rich and poor, the scenes being laid in New York City prominent among them being the Women's Ward at Blackwell's Island, the interior of a large factory with the machine in operation; the great mob scene, and the garden fete with its marvelous electrical effects.

The novel features, elaborate scenery, and thrilling climaxes make it an attraction above the ordinary. It is a play that will delight and please all classes. The action of the piece is interspersed with musical specialties rendered by well-known vaudeville artists.

A very interesting and powerful melodrama will be at the Faurot Opera House on Friday night. The play is entitled "Thou Shalt Not Kill" and is suggested by Count Leo Tolstoy's famous paper addressed to the rulers of Europe. The story, of course, is modern and of every day life. There is a murder committed and an innocent man being the victim of the most convincing circumstantial evidence, comes very near being convicted of the crime. The denouement which clears up the doubt very much to the satisfaction of the audience is brought about by a new science called telepathy and affords opportunity for one of the most dramatic situations ever put into a play. It is not claimed in the bills that the leading lady is in reality a hypnotist but her work in the scene would really suggest it. She exercises her power over a man of iron nerve and reduces him to a quivering, aching coward, striking for mercy and convicting himself of the fearful crime. The production is an expensive one, employing about forty players and an enormous scenic equipment. "Thou Shalt Not Kill" is already one of the big successes of the present season, having been particularly well received in New York, Philadelphia, Providence and Newark. The play is said to be more than ordinarily interesting, and has attracted large audiences everywhere it has been so far.

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Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs and colds; reliable, tried and tested, safe and sure. A general household favorite wherever used. H. F. Vorkamp and Wm. Melville.

It Might Have Been.

"Willie," said the Sunday school teacher, "can you tell why Rachel wept for her children?"

"I guess it must have been because the preacher came when she wasn't looking for him and seen them before they got cleaned up."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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FAUROT OPERA HOUSE

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When Women Love.

A play true to life.

Tons of scenery and electrical effects.

An excellent cast.

Prices—25c, 35c and 50c.

Seat sale opens Wednesday 9 a. m.



Michael's Store.

Special Sale on Towels, Handkerchiefs and Wrist Bags, THIS WEEK.

All 25c Linen Towels going at 19c
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FOR SALE BY H. F. VORKAMP.

NOT WASTED WAS THE DAY

Devoted to Entertaining the Members
of the Hospital Commission.

They Have Seen the City, Visited the Sites and
Have Heard the Claims Presented That
Entitle Lima to Consideration.

Lima has made her plea and it is now up to the hospital commission to leave for their homes, delighted with the warm reception tendered them, but it was not to be expected that an opinion would be expressed at this time that would indicate a choice. There are other cities to be visited and it will be some time before the final vote will be taken that fixes the location.

The executive committee had a fine day for the purpose and the automobile ride over the country in the morning was an enjoyment as well as a trip with the hope of profit behind it. The several sites visited compare favorably with any offered by other cities and from them the commission will have to make a selection after first considering the advisability of locating the hospital in Allen county. It is the opinion of those directly interested that the day was far from wasted, as the claim Lima has made was backed up by positive proofs and the city made to loom up in many ways as the logical point for the location of the institution. At the public reception held at the Lima club yesterday afternoon, facts and figures were presented by W. R. Mahaffey, Geo. Newson and Mayor Robb, assisted by details borne out by maps and charts. The business men attended in a body and all formality was cast aside in the effort to make the visitors feel at home and understand the demonstration that Lima is not looking a gift horse in the mouth.

The city is willing to offer the very best at her command to the state, that the institution may appear on a parallel with the beautiful grounds and structures in other cities, and at the same time has faith in the commission's desire to see fair play.

The Reception.
The feature of the day was the reception given the gentlemen at the Lima Club from 4 to 6 o'clock. The club had been handsomely decorated to the event with flowers and artistic displays of the national emblem. At 5 o'clock, a delegation of more than one hundred business men, assembled at the Y. M. C. A. and marched in a body to the club house, where

they were joined by a greater number, each of them being presented to the distinguished guests. After an hour of social intercourse, Mr. J. C. Linne, chairman of the hospital executive committee called the gentlemen to order, and introduced W. R. Mahaffey, who he said would present the advantages of Lima, as a location for the hospital.

Mr. Mahaffey spoke for fifteen minutes, laying especial stress upon the fact that Lima was geographically entitled to the location. He verified his contentions by demonstration with accurately drawn maps showing in the location of state institutions, that there was a greater area of territory in Northwestern Ohio, with Lima as a center, unoccupied, than in any other section of the commonwealth. He also talked at length upon the wonderful railroad facilities, their promised growth and the population reached direct from Lima by steel connections to tributary counties.

During his address, Mr. Mahaffey named each member of the commission, "The Story of Lima," by Dr. S. A. Baxter, and a concise compilation of Lima statistics which was prepared by Prof. C. C. Miller, W. L. Parmenter, Dr. Shelby Mumaugh, Dr. A. H. Cress, Mayor Robb and John Thomas, with the expenditure of a great deal of time.

THE STORY

Of Lima Told in Dr. Baxter's Pleasing Way.

The story of Lima, its history and traditions, from the time of the advent of Absalom Brown, the first settler, is better told by the stones in the graveyard than on an occasion of this kind.

Only material facts are of importance to a committee delegated to locate an institution to be erected by this great commonwealth for the kindly care of its unfortunate wards.

The City of Lima, Ohio, has 30,000 people; 6,400 male voters; six railroads; two railroad shops; a locomotive works; the Standard Oil Company's offices and refinery; dozens of small industries and is an up-to-date town.

A large percentage of its skilled artisans own their own homes and are the kind of men who are chosen on the council, the school board, officers of secret societies and churches, hence, labor troubles are at a minimum.

We have 5,000 children in the public schools and parochial schools, every sect and creed known to religion are represented and allowed to worship God without let or hindrance.

We have an excellent literary college and a business college doing phenomenal business; we have electric light, illuminating gas; natural gas for fuel, an excellent system of street railways, water works that, when extensions now in course of construction are made, will equal any in the state, paid fire department and electric lines that connect us with Fort Wayne and the Indiana lines, Cleveland, Toledo, Columbus, Dayton and Cincinnati. Politics is an amusement and not an occupation. (The last sentence was written before the recent election—to some of us it is not so amusing after all.)

There are several prosperous building and loan associations and five banks. It is a city of homes. The older population growing wealthy by the advances in real estate and the new population in money making lines.

The corporate limits have not been extended since 1878, and there is a considerable population outside.

That is the story. In every material way, Lima has its advantages, and from a social, moral and mental standpoint, is the peer of all others. Its geographical location, its statistics of business and other various items of interest in support of our claims, we assume are furnished elsewhere.

SPLENDID

Compilation of Facts Concerning Features of Lima.

Banks and Loan Associations.
We have five banks and four building loan associations with a combined capital of \$11,520,000; with deposits of \$2,647,000; loans \$5,024,000 and surplus of \$212,000.

Railroads and Traction Lines.
Lima has 49 steam and 28 electric trains daily. Excluding Columbus and Dayton, Lima has the best railroad facilities of any city in the state. She has five trunk lines running direct to over half of the counties in the state. To be exact, forty-six. These trunk

lines are: P. F. W. & C. giving fourteen passenger and forty-five freight trains daily; C. & E. with ten passenger and eighteen freight trains daily; C. H. & D. with twelve passenger and ten freight trains daily; L. E. & W. with six passenger and ten freight trains daily; and the D. S. with six passenger and six freight trains daily. We also have the Columbus and Lake Michigan with one passenger and one freight train daily.

Of the interurban lines, the Western Ohio gives us twenty cars daily, with four through cars daily to Dayton. This road will, by spring, be running cars to Toledo, which will give us 20 cars more daily. Another interurban line, the Ft. Wayne, Van Wert and Lima, now running eight cars daily, and will in 1905, run twenty cars daily. This road will build a branch to Ottawa in 1905, which will give sixteen cars daily. The Sandusky and Southwestern line has a great deal of grading done, and expect to have 20 cars in 1905, running daily to Lima. As it is, there are forty-nine steam and twenty-eight electric trains landing passengers in Lima daily, making a total of seventy-six. And when the above roads will have been completed in 1905, we will have one hundred and forty-five trains landing passengers in Lima daily.

Lima Public Schools, 1904-5.

1. Organization.—The schools are organized as follows: Primary department, 4 years; grammar department, 4 years; high school, 4 years; training department, 1 year.

2. Courses of Study.—(a) For the grades, the common branches. For high school—(1) Latin course; (2) German course; (3) Scientific.

3. Buildings.—New high school, costing \$75,000. (Unfinished.) Eleven ward buildings, two just completed.

4. Value of all school property, \$405,000.00.

5. Teachers employed—High school 1. In the grades 191, total 110.

6. Enrollment—High school 340. In the grades 4990, total 4430.

7. Whole number of graduates in history of the school, 709.

8. Number of volumes in high school library, 900.

9. Total expense of teaching force 1903-04, \$46,582.50.

Lima Public Library, Black Block.

Miss Medora Freeman, librarian. Number of volumes, 4075; reference books, 1300; fiction, 1300; juvenile, 475. Daily patronage for year 1903-4 was 115 persons.

Board of directors—Mrs. C. F. Lufkin, Mr. J. O. Ohler, Mr. Grant M. Sprague, Mr. Isaac S. Motter, Mr. John Roby, Mr. C. C. Miller.

Lima's Churches.

Trinity M. E. church, Rev. Joseph Ivann, pastor; Grace M. E. church, Rev. Wiltsee, pastor; Epworth M. E. church, Rev. B. F. Reading, pastor; Second street Methodist church, Rev. E. Crist, pastor; Market street Presbyterian church, Rev. Robt. J. Thomson, pastor; Main street Presbyterian church, Rev. Wm. M. Curry, pastor; First Congregational church, I. J. Swanson, pastor; West Lima Congregational, Rev. J. G. Thomas, pastor; First United Brethren church, Rev. A. J. Davis, pastor; St. Paul's Lutheran church, Rev. F. P. Bossart, pastor; Salvary Reformed church, Rev. E. E. Young, pastor; First Christian church, Rev. S. S. Newhouse, pastor; Episcopal, Christ church, Rev. G. F. G. Hoyt, pastor; German Reformed church, Rev. Paul H. Land, pastor; Zion Lutheran church, Rev. Carl Ackerman, pastor; Wayne street Church of Christ, Rev. I. N. Nichols, pastor; First Baptist church, Rev. Geo. Lord, pastor; South Lima Baptist church, Rev. Rupe, pastor; South Side Church of Christ, Rev. Sims, pastor; First Church of Christ, (Scientist), First Lutheran church, Rev. A. O. Becker, pastor; German Baptist Brethren church, Rev. Edward Kitzner, pastor; First Evangelical (Lutheran), Rev. O. C. Kramer, pastor; Gospel Tabernacle, Rev. W. F. Bostick, pastor; Dunkard church, A. M. E. church, Rev. Alston, pastor; A. Baptist Second, Rev. Joe W. Carr, pastor; Solar Mission, Rev. Adam Welty, pastor.

Catholic Churches.
St. Rose's church, Rev. Father Manning, pastor; St. John's, Rev. Father Rupert, pastor.


Approximate Lengths of Street Pavement in Lima, Ohio.

Sheet asphalt pavement, 450 miles; block asphalt pavement, 1.75 miles; brick pavement, 7.75 miles; total miles of all kinds, 14.00 miles. R. H. Gamble, chief engineer, B. P. S.

Water Works.
Total acreage of land, 188 acres; capacity Infirmary farm reservoir, 800,000,000 gallons; capacity of main station reservoir, 120,000,000 gallons, total, 720,000,000 gallons.

Main station, two pumps, each 3,000,000 gallons, 6,000,000 gallons; Lost Creek, one auxiliary pump, 2,000,000 gallons; Lost Creek, one gas engine, 500,000 gallons; west station, one steam pump, 500,000 gallons; total capacity, 9,000,000 gallons.

Capacity of steam boilers, 330 H. P. 42 miles of water mains; 5 miles of conduit lines; 338 meters; 280 hydrants; water pumped in 1903, 736,038,905 gallons; collected for water rent in 1903, \$37,568.03; furnished the city of Lima and schools, \$16,000.00;



THE Nettleton

GENTLEMAN'S SHOE

MICHAEL'S, SOLE AGENTS.

total earned, \$53,568.03.

Paid to sinking fund trustees, \$10,000.00; balance, \$43,568.03.

The plant is worth at present time, \$557,600.00.

Statement Showing Sizes and Approximate Lengths of Sewers in Lima, Ohio.

Vitrified Tile Sewers:
8 inch.... 1850 feet.... 0.35 miles.
10 inch.... 4225 feet.... 1.22 miles.
12 inch.... 37540 feet.... 16.58 miles.
15 inch.... 26,705 feet.... 5.05 miles.
18 inch.... 11,450 feet.... 2.18 miles.
20 inch.... 9,580 feet.... 1.82 miles.
24 inch.... 6,594 feet.... 1.25 miles.
30 inch.... 1,250 feet.... 0.23 miles.

Total... 151,420 feet.... 28.68 miles.

Brick Sewers:
30 inch.... 9,450 feet.... 1.79 miles.
36 inch.... 7,910 feet.... 1.50 miles.
42 inch.... 4,860 feet.... 0.92 miles.
48 inch.... 2,660 feet.... 0.50 miles.
54 inch.... 1,370 feet.... 0.26 miles.
60 inch.... 5,516 feet.... 1.04 miles.

Total... 31,766 feet.... 6.01 miles.

Stone Sewers:
60 inch.... 4,280 feet.... 1.00 miles.
Vitrified tile sewers, 151,420 feet, 28.68 miles; brick sewers 31,766 feet, 6.01 miles; stone sewers 5,280 feet, 1 mile, total 188,499 feet or 35.69 miles.

Grand total feet of sewers, 188,466 feet; grand total miles of sewers, 35.69 miles.

Manufacturing Interests.

Lima today is among the most progressive manufacturing cities of the middle west. In the past ten years she stands alone in her material progress as no city in Ohio has surpassed her strides. Her advancement too is the outcome of substantial economic conditions, of resources marvelous in their productivity and of a location at the point of intersection of several great railway lines which place her in close touch with the trade centers of the north, east, south and west.

Numerous factories representing millions of capital are located here. The past decade has witnessed industrial strides unprecedented in the history of Ohio cities. Not only have her factories sustained an increased productivity, but there has been a continuous invasion of new fields of industrial enterprise.

Lima is the greatest oil city of the United States today. Numerous corporations representing every phase of the oil industry have their headquarters at Lima. She is the center of the great Trenton rock oil fields, the richest in the middle west. Here the Solar Refining Co., one of the largest refineries in the world, is located. Here, too, the Buckeye Pipe Line Co., and the Indiana Pipe Line Co., companies for the purchase and general transportation of oil produced from the Trenton Rock field, have their headquarters and general offices in their own handsome office building.

The general shops of the C. H. & D. and L. E. & W. railways are in

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THE 'REGENT'

Shoe for Men

Price \$3.50.

All Leathers.

MICHAEL'S.



The Lima Dry Goods Co.

FUR SCARF

LET US SAVE YOU MONEY ON THAT

No need of buying the new Furs haphazardly, and run the risk of paying more than there's any need of. First, find out where you can do best. We know what the result will be. Our Furs are guaranteed to be the best quality the market affords at the prices asked.

Fur Scarfs and Boas.

Electric Seal Fur Scarfs, good quality, 98c. River Mink Fur Scarfs, extra quality, \$1.98. Blended O'Possum, \$2.75 to \$5. Bear Boas, 80 inches long, \$3.98. Bear Boas, 100 inches long, \$4.50 and \$5. Sable Fox, in wide range, prices, \$5, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 to \$20.00. Stole effects in Marten's, \$11 up. Sable and Isabelle Fox Fur Scarfs, \$15 to \$50.00. Muffs to match. A wide range of Children's Fur Sets in all the new creations, \$1.98 to \$11.00 set.

Petticoats.

A complete showing in Women's Petticoats in mercerized satens and silks. Values and prices are right, 98c to \$10.

Wrappers.

Women's House Wrappers, made good, serviceable material, nicely trimmed, wide skirts, all colors, a bargain, 98c.

Underwear Offering.

Don't miss the chance of getting some of these good things.
Men's extra heavy wool fleeced shirts and drawers, blue or tan, 50c each.
Men's heavy ribbed baidriggan Shirts and Drawers, 50c each.

New creations in Broad Tail Coats. Just received choice collection Broad Tail Coats for ladies' wear. Handsomely trimmed, lined with the famous Skinner satin, newest styles, \$12.00 to \$20.00.

BLUEM

Thanksgiving Linens.

Nice linens are not necessarily expensive, and then they add much to the table's appearance, and the housewife's gratification on Thanksgiving. Here's rare good news which will certainly set women talking, and influence them to immediate buying:

Bleached Damask, 68 inches wide, at **69c.**

Bleached Damask, special designs, 68-inch wide, at **75c.** Napkins to match, **5c, \$2.25.**

Bleached Damask, two yards wide, extra good, at **78c.**


Bleached Damask, 72 inches wide, especially good, at **\$1.00.** Napkins to match, **1/4 size, at \$3.25 and \$3.50** the dozen.

Fancy Hucks, floral designs, special bargain, 22 inches, at **40c.**

25 inches at **50c** and **60c.**

G. E. BLUEM,
221-223 N. Main.

OVERCOAT PROTECTION



Overcoat protection is one kind of protection we believe in. We furnish it to our customers.

We protect you from rain and wind, from heat and cold. We protect your person and your purse. Each overcoat we sell is a lasting advertisement for us.

Any man who has his eye out for Winter Overcoats, and isn't blind to his best interests, should not miss seeing our new styles.

Long and medium lengths and a size to fit every shape. Every good fabric is represented in our lines.

Overcoats at
\$10, \$12, \$15, \$18 and up to \$30.

Come here for a look. We'll not urge you to buy, the coats will do that.

H. A. ALBRECHT

The American Clothier

"Meet Me at the Lima House Corner"

DANCE TONIGHT.

The swellest dance of the week is given at the auditorium, Wednesday nights. Frey's orchestra and 25c. 1*

HE COULD HARDLY GET UP.

"This is to certify that I have taken two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure and it has helped me more than any other medicine," writes P. H. Duffy, of Ashley, Ill. "I tried many advertised remedies, but none of them gave me any relief. My druggist recommended Foley's Kidney Cure and it has cured me. Before commencing its use I was in such a shape that I could hardly get up when once down."

Sewing by the day wanted at 515 Ontario street. 7-6t*

Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets cure indigestion, dyspepsia and strengthen the stomach. H. F. Vorkamp, druggist

PREACHING AT TRINITY CHURCH TONIGHT.

The Rev. Thaddeus Wiltsee, pastor of Grace M. E. church, will preach at Trinity M. E. church, this evening. Mr. Wiltsee was pastor of Trinity ten years ago, and under his pastorate, the church had one of the largest revivals in its history. The sermon will be preceded by a half hour songs service under the direction of Prof. Jones. All who can sing are requested to come and assist. There will be revival services on Thursday and Friday nights also. Rev. Mr. Ranton the evangelist will be with the church on next Sunday.

A household necessity. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Heals burns, cuts, wounds of any sort; cures sore throat, croup, catarrh, asthma; never fails.

THANKSGIVING FARES.

Excursions From All Ticket Stations On Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets will be sold at all ticket stations on Pennsylvania Lines November 23d and 24th to any station not more than 150 miles from selling point. Tickets good returning until November 28th. For particulars, consult local ticket agent of Pennsylvania lines.

FISH! FISH! FISH!
FRESH FISH AT MILLER AND HOLLAND, 434 NORTH MAIN ST., PHONES, NEW 320, OLD 321K. 9-7.

When you want a pleasant physio-try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no gripping or other unpleasant effect. Sold by all druggists.

APPEARED

In a New Light to a
Lima Audience.

Geo. Wood Anderson's Lect-
ure Well Attended.

Especially by His Former Parish-
oners, Who Enjoyed His Odd,
But Splendidly Prepared
Subject.

Rev. George Wood Anderson's first
visit to Lima since he entered the
lecture field drew a large audience to
Faurol's opera house, and the audience
numbered many of his former parish-
oners when he was pastor of Epworth
Methodist church. His subject, "Bald
Heads Outside and In," was well
adapted to the argument engrossed in
his lecture, and Mr. Anderson proved
himself to have no small fund of hu-
mor which frequently cropped out
among his solid facts.

Bald inside the head was meant to
signify a lack of brain power and a
few such characters were brought to
light in a dramatic manner by the lec-
turer in direct contrast with those
who, although bald without, were of
tentimes flooded with light within.
Eloquent tributes were paid to the
brain power of such men as Martin
Luther, Robert Morse and Geo. Stev-
enson, whose polished plumes were il-
lustrated to a dish pan scoured with a
sponge.

Rev. Anderson's lecture put him in
a new light before a Lima audience.
It offered him an opportunity to de-
part somewhat from the seriousness
which characterized him as a minis-
ter of the gospel and it took some lit-
tle time for his audience to warm up
to his theme and accept him as he
wished to appear. But with the first
awakening of applause he enjoyed re-
peated responses and touched the
popular chord when he concluded
with a happy moral.

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The Exact Thing Required for Con-
stitution.
"As a certain purgative and stom-
ach purifier Chamberlain's Stomach
and Liver Tablets seem to be the ex-
act thing required, strong enough for
the most robust, yet mild enough and
safe for children and without that
terrible griping so common to most
purgatives," says R. S. Webster & Co.,
Lima, Ohio, Canada. For sale by
all druggists.

CIRCUIT

Court Judges Have Young
Case Presented.

FINE WEATHER
FOR HORSE SHOW.

DAY'S RECORD
OF INJURED.

The attorneys interested in the de-
fense of Amos Young, under sentence
for embezzlement, argued the case
before the circuit court judges today,
taking up almost the entire session
with a careful resume of all the points
on which error is based. The case
will be taken under advisement with
others that have been presented un-
til the court goes into secret session
for the purpose of reaching conclu-
sions.

OFFENSIVE
CATARRH

I suffered for a long time with a bad
case of Catarrh, and took a great deal
of medicine without any benefit.
I had a constant headache, my cheeks
had grown purple, my nose was always
stopped up, my breath had sickening and
disagreeable odor, and I coughed incessantly.
I heard of your S. S. S. and wrote you.
I commenced to use it, and after taking
several bottles I was cured and have
never since had the slightest symptom of
the disease. MISS MARY L. SPORN,
Cor. 7th & Felix Sts., St. Joseph, Mo.

Wheeling, W. Va., May 29, 1903.
I had Nasal Catarrh for years for which I
used S. S. S. with very gratifying results.
I tried local applications for some time,
and getting no permanent relief I came to
the conclusion that the seat of the trouble
was in the blood. Knowing S. S. S. to be
a good blood medicine I began its use,
and after using it for some little while it
did away entirely with the offensive ma-
ter in the nostrils, and I did not have to
hawk and spit, especially in the morning,
to dislodge the catarrhal matter.
1627 South St. FRANK H. PRESSER.

The filthy secretions and foul mucus that
are continually dropping back into the
throat, find their way into the stomach
and are absorbed into the blood. Catarrh
then becomes constitu-
tional, and the
only way to get rid
of it is through the
blood. Write us if
you have Catarrh,
and our physi-
cians will advise you
without charge.
The Swift-Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

COLDS THAT HANG ON

So frequently settle on the lungs and result in Pneumonia or Consumption. Do not take chances on a cold wearing
away or take something that only half cures it, leaving the seeds of serious throat and lung trouble.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

Cures Coughs and Colds quickly and prevents

Pneumonia and Consumption



CONSUMPTION THREATENED
C. Unger, 211 Maple St., Champaign, Ill., writes:
"I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and
I thought I had consumption. I tried a great many
medicines and I was under the care of physicians for
several months. I used one bottle of FOLEY'S
HONEY AND TAR. It cured me, and I have not
been troubled since."

**HAD BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY YEARS
AND THOUGHT HE WAS INCURABLE**
Henry Livingstone, Babylon, N. Y., writes: "I
had been a sufferer with Bronchitis for twenty years
and tried a great many with poor results until I used
FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR which cured me of my
Bronchitis which I supposed was incurable."

THREE SIZES, 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Refuse Substitutes

SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY

W. M. MELVILLE, MAIN AND HIGH STREETS, AND H. F. VORTKAMP, MAIN AND NORTH STREETS.

WELL KNOWN

Resident of Rockport Com-
munity Passes Away.

Enoch Trumbo, Aged Over 62 Years
Succumbs to an Attack of Pneu-
monia - Funeral
Friday.

Enoch Trumbo, a prominent and
widely known citizen of the vicinity
of Rockport, and well known gener-
ally among many of the older citizens
of Lima and Allen county, died at his
home on a farm near Rockport, yester-
day afternoon at 3:45 o'clock, death
being due to pneumonia. The de-
ceased was over 62 years of age and
is survived by a son and two daugh-
ters. He was born on the farm where
his death occurred, having purchased
at the time of his marriage to Martha
L. Cook, 29 years ago, a portion of
the lands of his father's homestead.
He obtained a good education, was
active in politics as a democrat, and
served for a time as a farmer's in-
stitute lecturer. He was at one time
a candidate for state representative,
being defeated at the nomination.
The deceased was as widely re-
spected as he was known, and his
funeral which will be held at 1:20
o'clock, Friday, will be largely attend-
ed.

MOTHER

Of Prof. Geo. P. Lull Passed
to Rest Yesterday.

Mrs. Martha J. Lull, wife of M. P.
Lull, of 325 north Elizabeth street,
and mother of Prof. Geo. P. Lull, the
well known musician, died yesterday
afternoon at 4 o'clock, death result-
ing from heart disease from which she
had been a sufferer for some time.
The deceased was born in Niagara
county, New York, June 5, 1835 and
in addition to her husband and son
who reside in this city, she is survived
by one daughter, Mrs. R. F. Long-
worth, of Geneva, Ind.

Short funeral services will be held
over the remains at the residence at
4:15 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and
the remains will be taken to Alle-
gheny, N. Y., for interment, leaving
here over the Pennsylvania road to-
morrow evening.

MACCABEES.

Lima Tent 142 of the Maccabees,
met at their hall, Main and Spring
streets, last evening. There was much
enthusiasm shown and interest taken
in the proceedings. There were a
number of visitors present from tents
in this and other states and as is us-
ual, these visiting Maccabees were in-
vited, under head, "Good of the Order,"
to respond briefly of and in behalf of
the great organization of which they
were members, and each answered the
request in a fitting manner. A
number of able addresses were de-
livered by members of the tent. This
and care-free continued greasing the
lively reviews held for months and the
only regret on the part of those pres-
ent was that every member of the
tent was not present, notwithstanding
there was a good attendance on this
occasion.

When You Have a Bad Cold.
You want a remedy that will not
only give quick relief but effect a
permanent cure.
You want a remedy that will re-
lieve the lungs and keep expectora-
tion easy.
You want a remedy that will coun-
teract any tendency toward pneumo-
nia.
You want a remedy that is pleasant
and safe to take.
Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets
all of these requirements and for
the speedy and permanent cure of
bad colds stands without a peer. For
sale by all druggists.

SOLEMN

Tones of the Bell in St.
Rose Tower

Respond no More to the
Stroke of the Sexton.

Faithful Servant of the Church
Lays Down Life's Burden for
Reward of a Life Well
Spent.

Lawrence Colford, who has been
the faithful sexton at St. Rose church
for the past 8 years, died at his home
321 north Elizabeth street at 7:45
this morning. About two months ago
while Mr. Colford was engaged in
making some repairs upon one of his
houses, on north Jackson street, he
fell from the scaffolding about 15 feet
to the ground, sustaining injuries
about the head. It is thought that a
clot of blood upon the brain was the
cause of his death. Mr. Colford was
a man of very few words, but he
was well liked and highly respected
by all who knew him. He was a good
citizen and neighbor and honest and
straightforward in all his dealings. In
his work as sexton, St. Rose church
never had one who was more faith-
ful in the discharge of his duties. He
was prompt and always reliable, car-
rying on his work in a quiet and un-
pretentious manner. The deceased was
a faithful member of the Catho-
lic church and he proved by a good
life that his faith was not inactive.
Mr. Colford was born in the county
Westford, Ireland, 59 years ago and
came to New York state when a mere
boy. He was married 44 years ago to
Miss Mary Kilfooy at Gaston Orleans
county, N. Y. To the union there was
one son born, who died at Sidney
about fifteen years ago. Mr. and Mrs.
Colford moved to Lima from Sidney
12 years ago and have been respected
residents of this community ever
since. He is survived by his wife
and four sisters: Mrs. Ellen Doyle,
of Lima; Mrs. Wm. Allen and Mrs.
Cornelius Curtin, of Sterling, Ill., and
Mrs. George Sanborn, of Chicago.
The funeral arrangements have not
been completed. Due notice will be
given later.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Louette Taubken of this city,
is visiting her brother, Frank Taub-
ken, of Toledo, O.

J. E. Porter and wife are visiting
friends in Jackson county, Ohio, where
Ed. is spending his vacation hunting
squirrel and such other game as comes
into sight.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Willis, of the
Black-flats, were called to Dayton to-
day by the death of their nephew,
Welker Willis, of 204 Huston avenue.
"Bon" to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lich-
tenstader, a ten pound daughter.

S. W. V.

Lima Command No. 155, Spanish
War Veterans will meet tonight at the
Gazette hall. This is the first meet-
ing of the year and a large attend-
ance is desired.

C. F. Reynolds, Capt.

W. R. C. NOTICE.

Ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps
please bring your donations of jelly,
jam and canned fruit to memorial
hall, on Thursday of this week, and
all come and assist in making cus-
shions and head rests and other articles
of comfort for the invalid soldiers of
the Sandusky home. Don't fail, as we
want to send the barrel for Thank-
sgiving. Amanda Sullivan, chairman.

The Ladies Aid Society of the U. H. B.
church will sew Thursday at the home
of Mrs. W. R. Apples, 124 south Pine
street.

WHILE BEING

ARRAIGNED IN

Court Saloon Keeper Fires at Fam-
ily and Then Takes His
Own Life.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—While being ar-
raigned in court today, Charles Shyck,
a saloon keeper, fired a revolver sever-
al times at his wife and children, then
committed suicide. The child was
wounded but not seriously. During the
shooting, Mrs. Shyck fell unconscious
and was thought to have been killed.
She, however, had only fainted. When
the woman revived, her husband lay
dead and the court room was in wild
confusion. The charges on which
Shyck was being tried related to a
family disturbance.

Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—Wheat, Dec.
112½; May 112½ and ½; July 98½.
Corn, Nov. 52½; Dec. 51½ and ½;
May 46½ and ½; July 45½ and ½.
Oats, Nov. 29½; Dec. 28½; 31½ and
½; July 31½.
Pork, Nov. 11.10; Dec. 11.20; Jan.
12.70; May 12.75.
Lard, Nov. 7.02½; Dec. 7.00; Jan.
7.07½; May 7.22½.
Ribs, Nov. 6.85; Jan. 6.55 and 6.57½;
May 6.67½ and 6.70.

MADE YOUNG AGAIN.

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills
each night for two weeks has put me
in my 'teens' again" writes D. H.
Turner of Dampscroft, Pa. They're
the best in the world for Liver, Stom-
ach and Bowels. Purely vegetable.
Never gripe. Only 25c at H. F.
Vortkamp's Drug store.

Toledo Grain.

Toledo, O., Nov. 16.—Wheat—Cash
\$1.17½; Dec. \$1.17½; May \$1.18½;
July \$1.00½.
Corn—Cash 58½; Dec. 48; May
46½; July 46½.
Oats—Cash 32; Dec. 31½; May
33½.
Clover seed—Cash \$7.60; Dec.
\$7.62½; Oct. \$7.70; March \$7.75.

No Poison in Chamberlain's Cough

From Napier New Zealand, Herald:
Two years ago the Pharmacy Board
of New South Wales, Australia, had
an analysis made of all the cough
medicines that were sold in that mar-
ket. Out of the entire list they found
only one that they declared was en-
tirely free from all poisons. This ex-
ception was Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy, made by the Chamberlain
Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa.
U. S. A. The absence of all narcot-
ics makes this remedy the safest and
best that can be had; and it is with
a feeling of security that any mother
can give it to her little ones. Cham-
berlain's Cough Remedy is especially
recommended by its makers for
coughs, colds, croup and whooping
cough. This remedy is for sale by
all druggists.

LOU FAILED.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 16.—Lou Dil-
lon trotted a mile this afternoon in
2:01½. The time by quarters: 30¼,
59¾, 1:29¾, 2:01½. The time made
last Friday was 2:01 flat.

A POLICEMAN'S TESTIMONY.

J. N. Patterson, night policeman of
Nashua, Ia., writes, "Last winter I
had a bad cold on my lungs and tried
at least half dozen advertised cough
medicines and had treatment from
two physicians without getting any
benefit. A friend recommended Fol-
ey's Honey and Tar and two thirds
of a bottle cured me. I consider it
the greatest cough and lung medicine
in the world."

H. F. Vortkamp and Wm. Melville.

QUICK ARREST.
J. A. Gullidge, of Verbena, Ala.,
was twice in the hospital from a se-
vere case of piles causing 24 tumors.
After doctors and all remedies failed,
Buckley's Arnica Salve quickly ar-
rested further inflammation and cured
him. It conquers aches and kills
pain. 25c at H. F. Vortkamp, Drug-
gist.
Piles often acts like a poutice. H.
F. Vortkamp.

Union Barber Shop.
TWO FIRST CLASS BARBERS
and
BEST BATH ROOM
in the City.
BANNEY & SHEPARD,
Metropolitan Barber Shop.

LUTZ'S
BARBER SHOP AND BATH ROOMS
For Ladies and Gentlemen.
Hot, Cold, Shower and Vapor Baths.
Ladies' and Children's Hair Cutting.
Done to Order,
Northeast corner Public Square.



Special Low Rates
for

Thanksgiving

Tickets on sale
November 23 and 24.

Good returning until
November 28.

SPECIAL TIME LIMITS FOR
Teachers and
... Students

Returning home
Thanksgiving Vacation.

See any C. H. & D. Agent, or
address,
D. G. EDWARDS, P. T. M.,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The Lima Home & Saving Association
vs.
Isaac Heifer, et al.,
Defendants.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued
from the court of common pleas, of
Allen county, Ohio, and to me direct-
ed, I will offer for sale at the east door
of the court house, in Lima, Allen
county, Ohio, on
Saturday, the 26th day of November,
A. D. 1904,
Between the hours of 10 o'clock and
12 o'clock noon, the following describ-
ed lands and tenements, situated in
Auglaize township, Allen county,
State of Ohio, and described as fol-
lows, to-wit:

"Being a part of the southwest quar-
ter of number thirty-two (32) town-
ship (32) south, range seven (7) east,
described as follows, to-wit: Com-
mencing at a point on the south line
of the Bellefontaine road, fifty (50)
feet southeast of a tract of land owned
by the John Rise, opposite the fair
ground and running thence southeast
along the south line of said Bellefont-
aine road, forty-three (43) feet;
thence southwest parallel with the
west line of said land two hundred
(200) feet; thence northeast parallel
with the south line of said Bellefont-
aine road forty-three (43) feet;
thence northeast parallel with the
west line of said land two hundred
(200) feet to the place of beginning."
Appraised at \$1,300.00.
Terms of sale: Cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff,
Allen County, Ohio,
Lima, Ohio, Oct. 26, 1904.
SPRAGUE & LIPPINCOTT,
wed-thu-12-5wks. Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The Union National Bank of Frank-
linville, N. Y., Plaintiff,
vs.
Arthur J. Morris, et al., Defendants.
Allen County Pleas.
By virtue of an order of sale, issued
from the Court of Common Pleas, of
Allen county, Ohio, and to me direct-
ed, I will offer for sale at the east
door of the Court House in Lima, Al-
len county, Ohio, on
Saturday, the 3rd day of December,
1904,
Between the hours of 10 o'clock and

12 o'clock m., the following described
lands and tenements, situated in the
City of Lima, Allen County, State of
Ohio, and described as follows, to-
wit:
In-lots number Thirty-two Hun-
dred and Eighty-two (282); Thirty-
two Hundred and Eighty-three (283)
and Thirty-two Hundred and Eighty-
four (284), in Morris' First Addition
to Lima, Allen County, Ohio, except
thirty-two (32) feet off of the north
ends thereof, and except fifty-three
and one-third (53 1/3) feet off of the
south ends thereof.
The same being situate on the east
side of Madison avenue.
Appraised at \$1600.00.
Terms of sale cash.

E. J. BARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio,
Lima, Ohio, October 26, 1904.
COPELAND & ROGERS,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

Joseph Cleary, whose place of re-
sidence is unknown, will take notice
that on the 31st day of October, A.
D. 1904, Lizzie Cleary filed in the
Court of Common Pleas of Allen
County, Ohio, her petition against him
in case No. 12094, praying that she
be divorced from the said Joseph
Cleary on the grounds of wilful ab-
sence, and also praying for the cus-
tody of their minor children and that
unless he answer by the 13th day of
December, A. D. 1904, judgment on
said petition will be taken against
him.

LIZZIE CLEARY,
By Adkins & Armstrong, Her Attor-
neys.
nov-14-wed-6w

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the court of common pleas of
Allen county, Ohio, Case No. 12052.
In the matter of the application of
The Number Three Oil Company for
dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that on the
20th day of September, A. D. 1904, W.
J. Ritchie was appointed referee in the
above entitled action and it was fur-
ther ordered that all persons interest-
ed in said corporation be required to
show cause, if any they have, why
said corporation should not be dissolv-
ed, before said referee at his office in
Lima, Ohio, on the 22nd day of Decem-
ber, 1904. And said referee was order-
ed to proceed on this date and on sub-
sequent dates for which said hearing
might be continued to hear the allega-
tions and proofs of such parties and
report the same to said court with
statements of the property, debts,
credits, and engagements of said cor-
poration and all other matters and
things pertaining to its affairs.
W. J. RICHIE, Referee.
W. H. LEETE, Attorney.
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Benjamin C. Faurol, de-
ceased.
The undersigned has been appointed
and qualified as executor of the es-
tate of Benjamin C. Faurol, late of
Allen county, Ohio, deceased.
Dated this 2nd day of November, A.
D. 1904.

JOSHUA M. DAWSON,
Mercantile Library Bldg.
Cincinnati, O.
19-3wks

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Phillip Metzger,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Rachel Bowyer, et al.,
Defendants.

By virtue of a vendi exponas, issued
from the court of common pleas, of
Allen county, Ohio, and to me direct-
ed, I will offer for sale at the east door
of the court house in Lima, Allen
county, Ohio, on
Saturday, the 3rd day of December,
1904,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock and
12 o'clock m., the following describ-
ed lands and tenements, situated in
Auglaize township, Allen county,
State of Ohio, and described as fol-
lows, to-wit:

"The undivided one-fourth (¼) in-
terest of S. Kirk, formerly S. McCoy,
subject to the life estate of Rachel
Bowyer, in the southwest quarter (¼)
of the southeast quarter (¼) of section
29, Auglaize township, Allen
County, Ohio, and the northeast quar-
ter (¼) of the northwest quarter (¼)
and the northwest quarter (¼) of
the southeast quarter (¼) of section
32 in Auglaize township, Allen county,
Ohio.
Appraised at \$750.00.
Terms of sale, cash.
E. J. BARR, Sheriff,
Allen County, Ohio,
Lima, Ohio, October 31st, 1904.
COPELAND & ROGERS,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Indemnity Savings & Loan Co., Plain-
tiff,
vs.
John N. Stratton, et al.,
Allen County Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued
from the Court of Common Pleas, of
Allen county, Ohio, and to me direct-
ed, I will offer for sale at the east door
of the Court House in Lima, Allen
county, Ohio, on
Saturday, the 19th day of November,
1904,
Between the hours of 10 o'clock and 12
o'clock m., the following described
lands and tenements, situated in the
City of Lima, Allen County, State of
Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Situated in the City of Lima, County
of Allen, and State of Ohio, and known
as being inlot number twenty-three
hundred and fifty-three (2353) in J.
D. Walz's addition to Lima, Ohio, be-
ing a lot of land fronting fifty-one (51)
feet and two (2) inches on Blaine ave-
nue and extending west one hundred
and seventy-two (172) feet and six (6)
inches to an alley according to the
plat; said lot being two hundred (200)
feet deep by actual measurement.
(The same being situate on the west
side of Blaine avenue, south of 3rd
street).
Appraised at \$850.00.
Terms of sale: Cash.
E. J. BARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio,
Lima, Ohio, October 13, 1904.
COPELAND & ROGERS,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

APPEARING OLD

Acts as a Bar to Profitable Employ-
ment.

You cannot afford to grow old.
In these days of strenuous competition
it is necessary to maintain, as long as
possible ones youthful appearance.
It is impossible to do this without re-
taining a luxuriant growth of hair.
The presence of Dandruff indicates the
presence of a burrowing germ which
lives and thrives on the roots of the
hair until it causes total baldness.
Newbro's Herpicide is the only known
destroyer of this pest, and it is as effec-
tive as it is delightful to use.
Herpicide makes an elegant hair dress-
ing as well as Dandruff Cure.
Accept no substitutes—there is only
one. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in
stamp for sample to The Herpicide Co.,
Detroit, Mich.
Wm. M. Melville, Special Agent.

THE AUDITORIUM

Finest dance hall in the state. Seats
1600. May be engaged for private or
public gatherings of any kind.

PUBLIC DANCES

Every Monday, Wednesday and Sat-
urday nights. Frey's orchestra Mon-
day and Wednesday.

SPECIAL HOLIDAY DANCES

Thanksgiving afternoon and evening.
E. C. FINLEY, Mgr.

Erie Railroad

St. Louis Short Line
\$8.05 Round Trip.

TRAINS:

Leave Lima..... 1:51 a. m.
..... 8:41 a. m.
..... 4:30 p. m.
Arrive St. Louis..... 2:00 p. m.
..... 9:23 p. m.
..... 7:29 a. m.

RETURNING:

Leave St. Louis..... 9:24 a. m.
..... 12:00 p. m.
..... 8:20 p. m.
Arrive Lima..... 12:32 p. m.
..... 8:31 a. m.

Trains stop at World's Fair Station.
Tickets sold daily except Friday
and Saturday at \$8.05 with 7-day
limit. 15-day tickets sold daily at
\$12.25.
Tickets sold via Chicago with stop-
over privileges in both directions.
W. S. MORRISON, Agent.

MONEY TO LOAN.

We have a large sum of money to loan
on city property and improved farm land

TEN

Days to Complete
the Work

And Van Wert

Will Be Connected With
Lima by Rail.Traction Company Is Grad-
ually Adding Territory
to Ft. Wayne Line.Baggage-master on Pennsylvania
Died of Blood Poisoning, Due
to Burns Caused by Use-
ing Collodion.

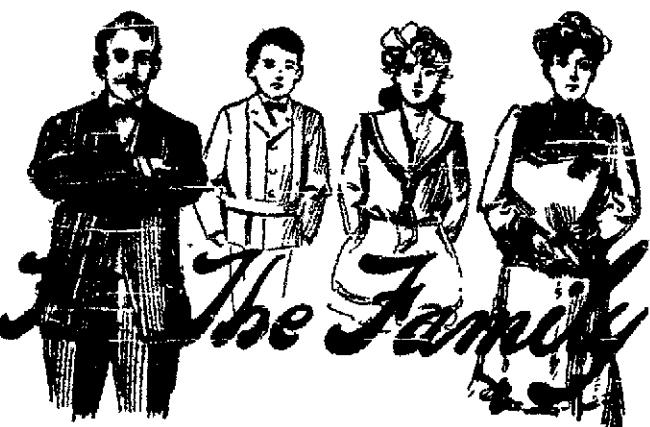
The track for the Ft. Wayne, Van Wert & Lima Traction Co.'s line has been completed three miles west of Middle Point and it is expected that the entire stretch between that town and the eastern limits of this town will be completed by next Saturday night. The track between Delphos and Middle Point will, according to the plans, be finished within ten days, thus completing the work between Lima and this town. Work on the track to be laid on Main street, will shortly be begun, all of the labor to be performed by home men. An expert track-layer will be brought here to superintend the work. Shipping bills have been received for ten car loads of rails to be delivered here for the track near this town.—Van Wert Bulletin.

Fatal Case of Blood Poisoning.
Michael Curran, formerly a freight conductor on the Pennsylvania, but lately transferred to the baggage department on account of a slight stroke of paralysis, died of blood poisoning at his home in Crestline last Friday. While in Chicago, Mr. Curran applied collodion to a wound on his hand which became infected and burned him severely. It was found necessary to amputate one of his hands, but before the operation was resorted to blood poisoning set in and ended in his death.

Stuffing For the Turkey.
Tonight Frank A. Young, the well known Adams Express messenger on the Pittsburgh road, will leave for Baltimore, where he will have charge until after Thanksgiving of the work of loading cars with oysters for shipment over the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago road. There is a heavy business by Adams Express in oysters during the Thanksgiving season and it is customary for the company to send one of its messengers from the Fort Wayne road to Baltimore to superintend the loading and billing of cars over that line. Last year the daily average through this route to Chicago and the northwest was ten cars and this season promises to be even better.—Ft. Wayne Sentinel.

Remembered the Boys.
The Cincinnati Business Men's delegation that went to Toledo last week for the purpose of inspecting the terminal line, were men of the right stamp. While enjoying the luxury of the palatial cars placed at their disposal they did not forget the men who were entrusted with their safety, and when the trip was concluded a committee waited on Engineer Carey Doan and his fireman, thanking them for the splendid run and presenting both with a crisp ten dollar note.

Along All Lines.
Mr. and Mrs. S. Entradocher will go to Lima, O., Wednesday for a visit.

In two-piece or union suits—
White, flesh-tint or colors—
Light-weight or heavy-weight—

Mentor-Made Underwear

Fills the bill for men, women and children. And there are a few specialties, like corset-covers and tights, "on the side".

IT'S NOVEL—the word underwear has a new meaning in "Mentor-Made".

We want to show you.

G. E. BLUM,
221-223 NORTH MAIN STREET.

GAME

Booked With Celina
Team

By Collegiates

Who Will Attempt to
Turn to Tables.Same Aggregation That Won
From the City Team
Last SundayWill Tackle Lima's Bunch of Col-
lege Athletes at Driving Park
Grounds Thank-
sgiving Day.

All efforts to book a foot ball game for this week with an out of town team to meet the collegiates have so far failed, and the public will have to be satisfied to wait until Thanksgiving before taking the measure of Lima's strong aggregation.

Arrangements were perfected yesterday with the Celina team for a game on Thanksgiving and the collegiates will endeavor to do what the city team failed to do last Sunday, send the Celina heavy weights home with a defeat instead of a victory. Celina has much the better of it in size, the weight of the team averaging 180 pounds, but the collegiates have strong backs to protect the rushes, while the tackles and ends are fast enough to get away on many of the plays perfect by coach McLaughlin.

Indoor practice is putting the team in good condition, the work at the auditorium promising splendid results when the day arrives for Lima to tackle an aggregation that has an equal chance for glory on the grid-iron.

It is a matter of regret that a game could not be arranged with Van Wert for next Saturday, but manager Smith states that it is impossible for the team to get away. The same situation prevails with the collegiates, nearly all of whom are so occupied as to prevent them from leaving their positions longer than would be required for a game on the local ground.

The question of which team is the stronger is one which both Van Wert and Lima would like to have decided, but it is not likely that the two representative teams can be brought together this season.

Everybody can get ready for the great game Thursday of next week, however, and some comparison with Lima and Van Wert can be made on the outcome, as Van Wert has defeated Celina and the collegiates will also have to turn the trick by an equal score, or acknowledge Van Wert's superiority.

Will Play Heidelberg.
The new uniforms for the White Star basketball team have been ordered and will arrive in time for the next game. An effort was made to secure a game for Friday of this week, but Lima seems to have gotten into the sport somewhat earlier than other cities few of which have had teams as yet in earnest practice. It can be stated positively, however, that there will be a contest at the auditorium next week, and the visitors will likely be the fast squad selected to represent Heidelberg university of Tiffin. Manager Spiller has accepted the challenge and the date will be announced later.

LOW SCORES

Were a Feature of the Crema Five's
Work Last Night.
Last night was an off night for the Crema five in the bowling league contest at the Brunswick alleys, the Metropolitan team defeating the Crema team three straights. The score:

Crema Five	1st	2nd	3rd
Blackie	114	152	112
Leadman	92	142	102
Dickie	88	105	104
Mitchell	104	116	105
Vogle	151	192	148

Totals	1st	2nd	3rd
Metropolitan Five	117	163	111
F. Burkhardt	158	155	150
W. Burkhardt	160	150	173
Schfartz	176	192	167
Lawlor	98	101	114

Totals 709 761 710
An interesting contest is promised at the Brunswick alleys tonight when the Blue Ribbons will tackle the Grand Union Tea Co. team for a match game. The Grand Union team holds the local championship so far this season.

ATE DISEASED CHICKEN.

Wootter, O., Nov. 16.—About 75 persons who attended the chicken supper in Smithville, Wayne county, given for the benefit of the village band, became deathly sick. An examination of the meat showed that some of the chickens were suffering from cholera. There were no deaths.

People's Outfitting Co.,

54 Public Square.

The Ready-to-Wear Garment House for Men and Women.

Notable Sale on Coats, Suits, Waists, Skirts.

To combine exclusive style and smart tailoring with low price has been our effort in which we have been most successful. This is indisputably the greatest sale in Lima. Don't delay, as this is the greatest opportunity, considering the time of the year. This is a genuine sale, no mere newspaper talk.



42-inch Kersey Coat.

COATS Just received a large shipment of coats in black, brown and casters; full loose back with strap, fancy collars and cuffs.
OUR SPECIAL PRICE \$10.00.

New 45-inch Coat.

Stunning, heavy weight mixture, with or without collar, shoulders lined with same material, new sleeve; sold at \$16.50

SPECIAL SALE PRICE \$12.00.

Beautiful heavy weight coats, 50 inches long, 13 mixtures, shoulders and sleeves satin lined, the newest styles sold at \$18

SPECIAL SALE PRICE \$13.50.

Ladies' Waists.

Our waists are considered the pride of the city handsomely made, strictly up-to-date, in all colors in brilliantines, silk, flannel and velvet, will mention a few prices.

Our \$5 and \$6 waists at \$3.75.
Our \$8, \$3.50 and \$4 waists at \$2.25
Our \$2 and \$2.50 waists at \$1.50

Walking Suits.

Any 15 to \$25 suit in the house. Your choice

\$12.50.

The next lot of suits, that formerly sold from \$10 to \$15. Your pick,

\$9.50.

Shirt Waist Suits.

Cloth Shirt Waist Suit in black, brown and blue mixtures, that sold at \$9.50.

OUR SPECIAL PRICE \$6.25.

All other Shirt Waist Suits, including those in mohair and velvet, sold at correspondingly low prices.

Ladies' Tailored Skirts.

You will perceive at a glance when you see these beautiful skirts, that they are all the latest styles. You cannot fail to appreciate these very excellent values.

Our \$12, \$13.50 and \$15.00 skirts at \$10.00.
Our \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10.00 skirts at \$6.50
Our \$5.00 and \$6.00 skirts at \$3.95.

NOTICE—No Goods Remodeled or Taken Out on Approval at Sale Prices

TOLEDO

Newspaper Defends J. N.
Dewey, of That City.

Says He Hastened to Do All That
He Could to Save the Lima
Savings Bank & Trust Co.

The Toledo Blade has the following to say concerning J. N. Dewey and the Lima Savings Bank failure:

"J. N. Dewey, of this city, declares untrue much of the statement contained in a dispatch from Lima relative to the failure of the Lima Savings Bank and Trust Co. Mr. Dewey says that while he was a director in the lumber company, he took no active part in its affairs, and that, instead of having a controlling interest in the bank, he owed only a few shares, not to exceed ten.

"He says that the proceeds from the stock of lumber that he and Leighton sold to Radabaugh, were to be used in paying off the creditors of the lumber company, and that some had already been paid when the court proceedings put a further stop to it.

As soon as Mr. Dewey learned of the condition of things in Lima, he hastened to do what he could to save the institution of which his son-in-law, Leighton, was at the head. Later he discovered that matters were very much entangled, but at no time has he had any other thought than to protect the interests of the creditors. His integrity is unimpeachable in this community, where he has had a long and honorable business career."

PRIMARY UNION.

All the Primary Sunday school teachers of the city will notice that the time of meeting of the Primary Union has been changed permanently to Wednesday evening at 7:15 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. The program for this week is

The International Sunday School Lesson, twenty minutes, taught by Miss Carrie Gamble

The Normal Lesson No. 4, by Rev. I. J. Swanson

The lesson will be helpfully taught, the blackboard used, and the Normal work instructive. We hope that the Sunday schools of the city shall have all of their primary teachers present.

CITY SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Italian Etchings, (limit Dec 5.)
Miniature watercolors, (limit Dec 20)
Windemere Mountings
25-cent SHERRICK STUDIO.

Thoroughly Good Clothes for
Men and Boys.

The making of Good Clothing is not altogether a matter of money—it is a matter of care and conscience; it is a matter of pride in one's production; it is a matter of putting thought and carefulness into the making. That is what we look to; that is what makes our clothing what it is; that is what makes it WEAR BETTER, LOOK BETTER AND MORE SATISFYING than any other clothing sold in Lima. Our popular prices prevail.



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Men's Suits
and Overcoats.\$10, \$12, \$15, \$18,
\$20, \$22, \$25.Boys' Suits
and Overcoats.\$2.50, \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6,
\$7.50, \$8, \$10.

HATS.

All the season's latest styles in soft and stiff hats in all the newest shapes. Sole agents for the Hawes \$3.00 Hats.

FURNISHINGS.

Up to date in Shirts, Neckwear, Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Pajamas, Night Robes Etc., Etc. Full line of new Sweaters for men and boys.

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